

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Aravind Sitaraman, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/650,250  
Filing Date: August 27, 2003  
Confirmation No.: 7193  
Group Art Unit: 2451  
Examiner: Alan S. Chou  
Title: *Method and Apparatus for Controlling Double-Ended Soft Permanent Virtual Circuit/Path Connections*

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM ISSUE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.313

Applicant hereby petitions under §1.313(c)(2) for the withdrawal of this Application from issue to permit consideration of an Information Disclosure Statement. **The Issue Fee was paid on July 14, 2011.**

A Request for Continued Examination of this Application under §1.114 is being filed simultaneously herewith. The Request for Continued Examination is intended to continue this Application on the grant of this Petition.

The Petition fee in the amount of \$130 and the \$810 Request for Continued Examination filing fee are being paid via Deposit Account No. 50-4889 of PATENT CAPITAL GROUP. Applicant believes that no additional fees are believed to be due. However, if Applicant is incorrect, please apply any other charges or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-4889 of PATENT CAPITAL GROUP, referencing the Attorney Docket No. 032590.0212 (292536).

Respectfully submitted,

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